

## **GAME NOTES**

Penticton Vees at Wenatchee Wild

Friday December 7, 2018 7:05 pm



Tonight the Wenatchee Wild (19-10-2, 40 pts., tied-2nd Place Interior Div.) welcome the Penticton Vees (20-8-1-2, 43 pts., 1st Place, Interior Div.) in the second of six scheduled meetings this season.

**HEAD TO HEAD:** Wenatchee is 6-5-0 against the Vees all-time, and are 5-1-0 at home. The teams will face each other four more times this season after tonight. Wenatchee won the first meeting this season, 4-2 on November 28 in Wenatchee.

WHO TO WATCH FOR: Team captain Lucas Sowder leads Wenatchee with 33 points (11g, 22a). Josh Arnold (12g, 17a), Matt Gosiewski (18g, 11a), and Murphy Stratton (5g, 24a) follow with 29 points each. Brandon Koch leads the defensemen with 24 points (4g, 20a). Penticton's offense is led by defenseman James Miller (15g, 26a) and forward David Silye (13g, 27a). Goalie Jack LaFontaine has carried the bulk of the work in net, going 15-6-1 with a 2.22 GAA and .916 save pct.

**SPECIAL TEAMS**: WEN PP - 26/127 20.5% 5th WEN PK - 20/126 84.1% 5th

PEN PP - 33/152 21.7% 3rd PEN PK - 21/123 82.9% 6th

**STREAKING: Matt Dorsey** has a point in 12 straight games (6g, 9a). For Penticton, Eric Linell has a goal in 4 straight games, Andre Ghantous has an assist in 8 straight games, and James Miller has a point in 8 straight games.

LAST GAME: Wenatchee edged Vernon 5-4 on the road last Saturday, and Penticton won a 3-2 game at home over Trail.

**MOVING ON:** Tomorrow night the Wild and Vees meet again in Penticton for "Teddy Bear Toss Night" at the SOEC. Next weekend the Wild hold their "Teddy Bear Toss" game on Friday against Salmon Arm, while the Vees have another homeand-home weekend with Trail.

**MEDIA:** Tonight's game will be aired locally on "NewsRadio 560 KPQ" and streamed free world wide, and also available on a pay-per-view basis with HockeyTV.com. Pregame show airs tonight at 6:45 pm.

**TONIGHT'S PROMOTIONS:** Tonight is "Pink At The Rink", sponsored by Confluence Health, and will feature a live jersey auction following the game. The first 2,500 fans receive light-up LED pink batons.

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